MOUNTAIN GOAT MASTER LIST December 10, 2015

Specific proposed changes for 2016-17 are listed below. All other season components except calendar rotation are proposed unchanged from 2015.

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<u>Statewide</u>: No longer require mandatory reporting and inspection. There is little biological reason for mandatory reporting because our annual harvest survey contacts all license holders to estimate harvest and too few animals are inspected to yield meaningful population data. Some districts with specific management needs (eg. 313 – the Crazies) may still require it.

<u>HD 313 (Crazy Mtns)</u>: Introduce 313-30 Female-only licenses (quota 25, range 5-35).

Adjust ES license quota from 50 to 30 and adjust range from 40-100 to 15-100.

HD 314: Eliminate the closure in the Gallatin Special Management Area

<u>HD 362</u>: Redefine HD to open that portion of the Gallatin Special Management Area between Sage Creek and YNP.

<u>HD 327/328</u>: Clarify boundary as West Fork of Beaver Creek by Blue Danube Lake.